



## Kerry Fuller Attorney

Kerry Fuller's practice focuses on public law, land use, environmental, and political law. She currently serves as Deputy City Attorney to the City of Newman and advises the firm's other public clients on a variety of matters.

Kerry's exposure to California's complex water system started early. Due to her father's work as an engineer for a water agency in the San Bernardino Valley, Kerry became fascinated with the vast web of infrastructure and accompanying laws and agreements that govern California's water.

After graduating from the University of California, Santa Barbara with degrees in Political Science and Psychology, Kerry spent several years working in Washington D.C. for Hillary Clinton's 2008 presidential primary campaign, as well as for Defenders of Wildlife, an environmental nonprofit. It was there, encouraged by her mentors and still fascinated by California's water system, that Kerry became inspired to become a lawyer. As a result, Kerry returned to California, where she graduated from the University of California, Davis with

her Juris Doctor. While in law school, Kerry worked as a law clerk at the California Attorney General's Office in the Environment, Land Law, and Natural Resources Section and continued to explore her interest in water by taking classes focusing on water law and ocean and coastal laws. She also served as an Executive Editor of UC Davis' environmental journal, *Environs*, and was selected for a Michael H. Remy Scholarship to attend the 2012 Environmental Law Conference at Yosemite.

From inspiration to actuality, Kerry now flexes her decision-making and problem-solving skills as a member of the Churchwell White team. Kerry belongs to the Public Law and Environmental Law Sections of the California State Bar, and channels all of her experiences into her municipal, water, and environmental practices.

**If not a lawyer...** I would be an interior designer. I enjoy making spaces feel cohesive and inviting. I am obsessed with *Flipping Out* on Bravo, but find the idea of working with someone that intense slightly terrifying. Thus, I am not an interior designer.



## Projects

- Drafting ordinances that were successfully adopted in several California cities with topics including limiting the sale and use of e-cigarettes, establishing rules regarding city-owned skate park use, and noise control regulations
- Revising City Council Procedural Rules and Personnel Policies for compliance with updated laws
- Assisting with research and trial preparation for several cases involving contractual disputes

## Credentials

- J.D., University of California, Davis
- B.A., Political Science and Psychology, University of California, Santa Barbara
- Member, California Political Attorneys Association
- Member, State Bar of California, Public Law and Environmental Law sections
- Law Clerk, California Attorney General's Office; Environment, Land Law, and Natural Resources Sections
- Intern, California Assemblymember, Anthony Rendon
- Recipient, Michael H. Remy Scholarship to attend the 2012 Environmental Law Conference at Yosemite
- Executive Editor, Environs, UC Davis' environmental journal
- Hillary Clinton 2008 Primary Campaign
- Special Events Volunteer at the Sacramento Zoo





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